

Next Meeting

July 30th

Columbus

Community

Center

2500 S. 500 E.

7:00 PM

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Next Month's Meeting

August 20th

Coin and Stamp Show

Aug. 7th & 8th

at the

Sons of Utah Pioneers

Win Gold at the Raffle!



Thank you, Lisa Morey
for last month's treats.

This month's treats will be
provided by: Boyd Pickering

This month's news
article by Johnny Gallegos

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President's Message

Hello Everyone,

I hope everyone is doing well and enjoying the Utah Pioneer Day celebrations with family. As you well know, our club meeting will be this next Thursday July 30th. Thanks for your patience and understanding.

With the great weather we have been having, I'm sure many of you have been out metal detecting and hopefully finding amazing coins, tokens and other items. Just a friendly reminder about one of our rules for the "Finds of the Month" contest, please make sure that the items entered have been found during the month since the previous NUTS club meeting. Thank you.

I would like to give out a BIG THANK YOU to Johnny Gallegos for his amazing presentation on gaming arcade tokens and his incredible talent of making rings with the tokens.

This month's meeting will be "Mexican Beauty – Belleza Mexicana," presented by Allan Schein. He is an amazing author and collector of this coin. He will have copies of his latest book for purchase. This is sure to be an incredible evening with Allan.

Our treats will be provided by, Boyd Pickering. Our feature item will be presented by Johnny Gallegos. Also, Don Swain will have an update regarding our Gold Select Medals.

Thanks everyone for your time and dedication to the NUTS club.

See you at the meeting,

Todd Monson



The NUTS club membership would like to send our greatest appreciation to George Wilson for his unwavering dedication and support for the NUTS club. Recently George Wilson donated several items to our historical archives. Thank you George from the general membership from the National Utah Token Society.

How to get Christmas Raffle Tickets Throughout the Year

- 1 for monthly attendance,
- 1 for bringing treats (dessert and drink),
- 1 for being an officer/wagon master each month,
- 1 for each hour serving at the coin/token show,
- 1 for submitting an article,
- 1 for referral that joins club,
- 1 for member spotlight or special find in the news,
- 1 purchasing prizes for the raffle per month

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Guest Speaker Johnny Gallegos on Arcades and Tokens



Johnny explaining
his collection
of arcade
memorabilia
and
video games.
There are many
varieties of
arcade tokens.



History of Arcades

Pinball Machines for Gambling



- Born in Ogden, Utah in 1943 he got his inspiration for video arcade games after working the midway games at Lagoon Amusement Park.
- Nolan Bushnell has been credited by Newsweek Magazine as one of the "50 Men Who changed America" for his role in launching the video game industry with the founding of Atari in 1972.

Nolan Bushnell - Founder of Atari

ATARI

The Meaning of Atari

- Atari - from a Japanese verb meaning "to hit the target" or "to receive something fortuitously".



Tools to make rings out of tokens

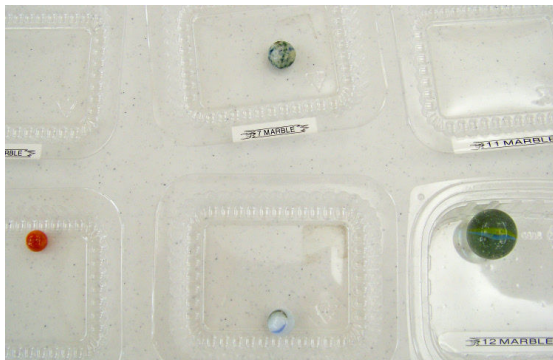


Meeting



Don Swain announcing Gold Select Club Medals.

Finds of the Month



Raffle



IN THE NEWS



Mike Morey told a riveting story about metal detecting near 1700 S. and 1700 W. by the Jordan River. He found a old bullet and civil war era button, which was very likely to be from Johnson's Army marching up Redwood Road.

The U.S. Mint announces their new Mint Director, Rhett Jeppson. He served as a U.S. Marine in both Desert Storm (Iraq) and in Afghanistan. Before going to the Mint he worked in the Small Business Administration as the Chief Operation Officer.

http://www.usmint.gov/about_the_mint/?action=directors_office

The Mint also created a mobile app to help educate, find release dates and received the latest news. Find out more at:

http://www.usmint.gov/campaigns/?action=MyUSMint-mobile-app&utm_source=homepage&utm_medium=carousel&utm_campaign=app-v1

We would like to thank Bob from High Mountain for donating his winning coin at the Utah Coin and Token Show.

Congratulations to those that won with their displays at the Utah Coin and Token Show.

Current Metal Prices

Gold: \$1,098.30 ▼ Silver: \$14.72 ▼

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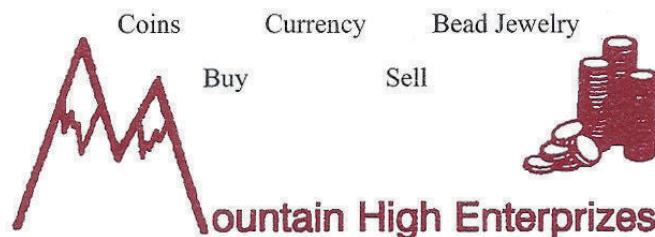
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